LEARN ABOUT ATEL'S NEW WIRELESS PROGRAM AND ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY FOR HEARING LOSS

Next Meeting – Wednesday, March 8, 2017



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Location: <u>TechACCESS of RI</u>

110 Jefferson Boulevard, Suite I, Warwick, Rhode Island

Time: 6:00 to 8:00 PM

These workshops are free, no registration is required. CART Services will be provided; however, if you need any other special accommodations, please call 3 weeks in advance. For more information, call 401-462-

7857.

The ATEL program provides the wireless device ONLY, the client is responsible for activation fees and monthly plans. The ATEL program wireless offerings will include: Jitterbug Flip Jitterbug Smart iPads and iPhones. Learn about the new wireless program and about available of Apps for the Deaf, HOH and individuals with speech disabilities.

Also, as always, we will provide information on Assistive listening devices (ALDs) can be a great addition to hearing aids or an <u>inexpensive alternative</u> depending on your needs, by helping you separate the sounds you want to hear from background noise, and by enabling you to hear when the speaker is more than a few feet away. Also, learn how you may be eligible for a FREE adaptive telephone from the RI State Telephone Program (ATEL), Captioning telephone (Captel), as well as, learn about supportive organizations where people with all degrees of hearing loss come together to share and learn – and where it's okay not to hear well.

Are you hard of hearing and have a smartphone, or thinking about getting one?

WHY NOT GET HELP, LIFE CAN BE BETTER!